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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Batsheva KEREM

Serial No. Not yet assigned

Filed: June 4

For: CONTROL OF GENE EXPRESSION

(Continuation-in-part application of U.S. patent application Serial No. 09/421,981, filed October 21, 1999)

## TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Submitted herewith for filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is the following:

Continuation-In-Part Patent Application consisting of:

- (1) Transmittal Letter;
- (2) Filing Form For CIP U.S. Patent Application;
- (3) CIP Application including:
  - 27 Pages Application Consisting of:
    - 17 Pages of Textual Specification
      - 1 Pages of 8 Claims
      - 1 Page Abstract of the Disclosure
      - 8 Sheet of drawings
- (5) Unexecuted Declaration/Power of Attorney
- Check No. 14845 \$ 355.00 for filing fee as a small (6) entity;
- Postcard for early notification of serial number. (7)

Respectfully submitted, NATH & ASSOCIATES PLLC

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- 3. The **present** application names the following inventor(s):

  Batsheva KEREM.
- (37 CFR § 1.53--"CIP") The above-identified application (in which no payment of the Issue Fee, abandonment of or termination of proceedings has occurred) is hereby expressly abandoned as of the filing date of this new application.

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- X Applicant(s) is/are a "small entity". A Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status:
  - $\underline{X}$  was filed in the parent application, and small entity status is still proper and desired
  - is filed herewith;
  - \_\_\_\_ will be filed at a later date.
- X A check including the above-indicated filing fee is enclosed.
- X A Petition for Extension of Time (to keep the parent case pending) is being filed in the parent case, with a check including the \$445.00 extension fee.

- Assignment document(s) is/are submitted herewith, with a check including the recordation fee of \$40.00 per Assignment. A Declaration and Power of Attorney will be submitted at a later date pursuant to 37 CFR §§ 1.41, 1.53, together with a check for the surcharge under 37 CFR § 1.16(e). X The prior application is assigned of record to YISSUM RESEARCH DEVELOPMENT COMPANY OF THE HEBREW UNIVERSITY OF JERUSALEM, Jerusalem 92182, ISRAEL, the Assignment being recorded on December 9, 1999, on Reel 10439, Frame(s) 0216. A copy of the original executed Declaration is enclosed. Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: --This application is a continuation-in-part application of U.S. patent application Serial No. 09/421,891, filed October 21, 1999, the entire contents of the application of which is hereby incorporated in its entirety.--Foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119 of application(s) \_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_, is hereby claimed. The certified priority paper(s): was/were filed in the parent case; is/are enclosed herewith;
  - The power of attorney in the prior application is to Gary M. Nath, Reg. No. 26,965; Harold L. Novick, Reg. No. 26,011, and Jerald L. Meyer, Reg. No. 41,194; customer no. 41,194.
- X The power appears in the original papers in the prior application.

will be submitted at a later date.

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- X If extensions of time under 37 CFR § 1.136 other than those provided herewith are required to prevent abandonment of the parent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned to allow copendency of the parent and the present continuing application. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fee deficiency under 37 CFR § 1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 14-0112.
- X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency under 37 CFR §§ 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 14-0112.

Respectfully submitted,

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